GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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DOWRY PROHIBITION LAWS
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to make the laws pertaining to dowry prohibition more stringent with deterrent punishment; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a)& (b) The National Commission for Women has recently recommended certain amendments in the laws to make the provisions more effective and stringent. The recommendations are being examined.